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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
 BUSINESS TIME COMPUTATION )  
 IN A RESOURCE ALLOCATION )  
 SYSTEM )

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

Applicants submit this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of March 18, 2009. Applicants do not believe that any fees are due as a result of this amendment. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are shown in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.